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Docket No.: 44084-484

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
Kazuyuki NISHI : EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
Serial No.: 09/752,524 :
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For: WASHING METHOD : Confirmation Number: 9990
: Group Art Unit: 1746
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Mail Stop AF Non-Fee Amendment
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the Official Action
mailed January 20, 2004.